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CHAPTER II

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER
TO THE UNITED STATES ELECTED OFFICE (EO/US)
(ENTRY INTO U.S. NATIONAL PHASE UNDER CHAPTER II)**

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International Application No.	International Filing Date	Priority Date Claimed

IMPROVED ROAD REPAIR SYSTEMS

Title of Invention

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ATTENTION: EO/US**

- I. Applicant herewith submits to the United States Elected Office (EO/US) the following items under 35 U.S.C. § 371:
- a. This express request to immediately begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. § 371(f)).

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- b. The U.S. National Fee (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(1)) and other fees (37 C.F.R. § 1.492) as indicated below:

2. Fees

CLAIMS FEE*	(1) FOR	(2) NUMBER FILED	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE	(5) CALCULATIONS
	TOTAL CLAIMS	12=	0	x \$ 50.00 =	\$0.00
	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	2=	0	x \$ 200.00 =	0.00
	MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable)			+ \$ 360.00	\$0.00
BASIC NATIONAL STAGE FEE					300.00
BASIC FEE	U.S. PTO WAS NOT INTERNATIONAL PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION AUTHORITY Where no international preliminary examination fee as set forth in § 1.482 has been paid to the U.S. PTO, and payment of an international search fee as set forth in Section 1.445(a)(2) to the U.S. PTO: where a search report on the international application has been prepared by the European Patent Office or the Japanese Patent Office (37 C.F.R. § 1.492(a)(5))\$				500.00
EXAMINATION FEE					200.00
	Total of above Calculations				= 1000.00
SMALL ENTITY	Reduction by 1/2 for filing by small entity, if applicable. Assertion must be made. (note 37 C.F.R. § 1.27)				- 500.00
	Subtotal				500.00
	Total National Fee				\$500.00

	Fee for recording the enclosed assignment document \$40.00 (37 C.F.R. § 1.21(h)). See Item 13 below). See attached "ASSIGNMENT COVER SHEET".	0.00
TOTAL	Total Fees enclosed	\$500.00

*See attached Preliminary Amendment Reducing the Number of Claims.

Attached is a check in the amount of \$500.00.

Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1097.

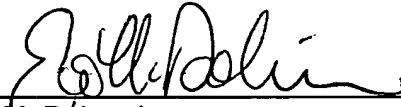
Assertion of Small Entity Status

Applicant hereby asserts status as a small entity under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

4. Drawings (Photocopy) – Figs. 1-8 (4 sheets)
5. A translation of the International application into the English language (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(2)) is not required as the application was filed in English.
6. An unexecuted oath or declaration of the inventor (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(4)) complying with 35 U.S.C. § 115 is attached.
- II. Other document(s) or information included:
 7. An International Search Report (PCT/ISA/210) or Declaration under PCT Article 17(2)(a) is transmitted herewith which is attached to the publication WO 2004/018774.
 8. An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98 will be transmitted within THREE MONTHS of the date of submission of requirements under 35 U.S.C. § 371(c).
 9. Additional documents:
 - a. International Publication No. WO 2004/018774
 - i. Specification, claims and drawings
 - b. Preliminary amendment (37 C.F.R. § 1.121)
 10. Applicant respectfully claims priority to and the benefit of the filing date of 14 August 2003, Serial No. PCT/EP2003/009144 (published as WO 04/018774), and Great Britain 0219088.2 with filing date of 16 August 2002 and requests favorable examination of this application.
 11. The above items are being transmitted before 30 months from any claimed priority date.
 12. If and to the extent that compliance with 35 U.S.C. § 371 shall be deemed insufficient to secure a claim of priority to International Application PCT/EP03/009144 and Great Britain Priority Application No. 0219088.2 (16 August 2002), then please consider this as

a contingent request in the alternative for filing an application per 35 U.S.C. § 111(a), or any other applicable provision, with claim to priority to the aforesaid applications.

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